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Filed: 15 March 2002)	
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Title: USING A SUGGESTED SOLUTION TO)	
SPEED UP A PROCESS FOR SIMULATING))	
AND CORRECTING AN INTEGRATED)	
CIRCUIT LAYOUT)	

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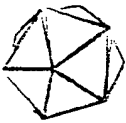
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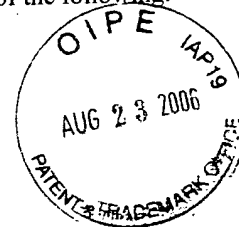


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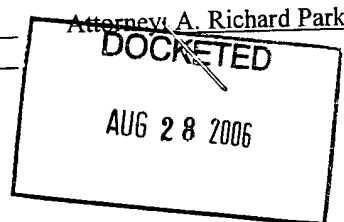
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